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I am ashamed at the DoJ even considered the last proposal of Microsoft as an actual settlement worth mentioning outside of Redmond's boardroom fantasies.

You have them in a hard spot, not the other way around, correct?

It's your big chance to do something that will change the course of history not perpetuate the status quo. The last time we had this chance the US settled for a \$5,000 slap on the wrist to the automakers for effectively putting the railroad out of business in this country.

Mircosoft wants a settlement, so make them one you think they need to refuse, and you may have your answer. make them bleed, but if you worry over public relations on this and they know it, you've essentially decided not to have a backbone.

Make them bleed. It will benefit future diversity and perhaps deter them from doing it again so obviously.
When else are you going to get this chance to actually DO something to send a message with the world waiting?
-Zarra Hermann

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